December 1, 2007

The Honorable Chet Culver
Governor, State of Iowa
The Honorable Jack Kibbie
President, Iowa State Senate
The Honorable Pat Murphy
Speaker of the House

Dear Governor Culver and Distinguished Leaders:

For twenty-five years the Iowa Higher Education Loan Authority (IHELA) has been serving Iowa's independent not-for-profit colleges and universities by providing affordable financing of facilities and working capital through the issuance of tax-exempt debt on their behalf. It is our privilege to deliver to you the 2007 Annual Report for the Iowa Higher Education Loan Authority. This annual report is submitted in compliance with the Code of Iowa, Chapter 261A.21.

Since its founding in 1982, IHELA has completed 170 stand-alone issues totaling \$980,005,000 of which \$552,079,604 is outstanding as of June 30, 2007. During the Authority's existence, Iowa's regionally accredited independent not-for-profit private colleges have continued to grow and advance. We believe IHELA plays a significant role in enabling them to remain competitive by providing low cost capital and working capital financing.

In fiscal year 2007, IHELA issued stand-alone financings for facilities on behalf of Buena Vista College, Cornell College, Grand View College, Loras College, University of Dubuque, Waldorf College and William Penn University. One new loan was issued in the '85 Series variable rate pool program. Participation in the Authority's Revenue Anticipation Note program, which provides short-term cash flow financings, was again significant. In 2007, eight different institutions benefited from this financing program borrowing \$30,710,000. The total amount of bonds issued for fiscal year 2007 was \$163,565,000.

IHELA recognizes that the colleges and universities are invaluable assets providing educational, cultural and economic opportunities for all the citizens of the state. It is our desire and goal to continue to be of service to Iowa's independent not-for-profit institutions of higher education. We appreciate the confidence you have placed in us and

thank you for the opportunity to serve Iowa independent higher education through these special loan programs.			
Respectfully submitted,			
Carol Burns Chairperson	Maribeth Wright Executive Director		

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AUTHORITY MEMBERS

Carol Burns

Chairperson

Ms. Burns is a resident of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Ms. Burns is a civic leader in the Cedar Rapids community. Her current term expires April 30, 2008.

Stephanie Savage

Vice-Chairperson

Ms. Savage is a resident of Dubuque, Iowa. Ms. Savage is a civic leader in the Dubuque community. Her current term expires April 30, 2010.

John V. Hartung

Treasurer

Mr. Hartung is a resident of Indianola, Iowa. Mr. Hartung is the retired President of the Iowa Association of Independent Colleges and Universities. His current term expires April 30, 2009.

Dennis Houlihan

Secretary

Mr. Houlihan is a resident of Dubuque, Iowa. Mr. Houlihan is a Financial Consultant with A.G. Edwards & Sons. Inc. His current term expires April 30, 2012.

Robert Fleming

Assistant-Secretary

Mr. Fleming is a resident of Des Moines, Iowa. Mr. Fleming is President of the SUMO Group. His current term expires April 30, 2011.

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Profile of the Authority

The Iowa Higher Education Loan Authority (the Authority) was created by the State Legislature in 1982 under the provisions of Chapter 261A, as a body politic and corporate of the State of Iowa. All obligations incurred by the Authority are exclusively those of the Authority and do not place an obligation on, or have the guarantee of, the State of Iowa. All administrative expenses of the Authority are paid from funds provided through the operation of its programs. The Authority has never received any appropriations from the State of Iowa. The Bonds issued are special and limited obligations of the Authority and do not represent, constitute or create an obligation, general or special, or debt, liability or moral obligation of the State or any political subdivision of the State within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory limitation.

The Authority was established for the purpose of financing education loans for regionally accredited independent institutions of higher education through the investment of private capital (Code of Iowa, Chapter 261A.1). In 1985, the Legislature expanded the function of the Authority to provide for loans to finance the acquisition, construction and renovation of needed educational facilities, structures and equipment, and to refund, refinance, or reimburse outstanding indebtedness incurred by eligible Iowa independent institutions (Code of Iowa, Chapter 261A.32). In 1997, the Legislature amended and expanded the function of the Authority for a project that is to be leased by the authority to an institution and to provide for loans in anticipation of the receipt of tuition by an institution. The Legislature also removed a restriction that IHELA shall not have outstanding at any one time obligations issued in an aggregate principal amount exceeding one hundred fifty million dollars (Code of Iowa, Chapter 261A.34). In 2000, the legislature amended Chapter 261A to provide that interest on obligations issued by the Authority is exempt from state income tax and to authorize the Authority to finance facilities that will be leased to institutions by a third party.

The Authority is empowered to issue tax-exempt revenue bonds and to make the proceeds available in low-interest loans to eligible institutions for the purposes stated above.

A Board of five members who are appointed by the Governor of the State and are subject to confirmation by the Senate governs the Authority. Members must be residents of Iowa and no more than three may be members of the same political party or gender. Appointments are made for six-year terms. The State Treasurer serves as an ex-officio member of the Authority.

Eligible Participating Institutions

An eligible institution means a nonprofit educational institution located in Iowa not owned or controlled by the state or any political subdivision, agency, instrumentality, district, or city of the state, which is authorized by law to provide a program of education beyond the high school level and which meets all of the following requirements:

- Admits as regular students only individuals having a certificate of graduation from high school, or the recognized equivalent of such a certificate.
- b) Provides an educational program for which it awards a baccalaureate degree; or provides an educational program which conditions admission upon the prior attainment of a baccalaureate degree or its equivalent, for which it wards a post-graduate degree; or provides not less than a two-year program which is acceptable for full credit toward a baccalaureate degree, or offers not less than a two year program in engineering, mathematics, or the physical or biological sciences which is designed to prepare the student to work as a technician and at a semiprofessional level in engineering, scientific, or other technological fields which require the understanding and application of basic engineering, scientific, or mathematical principles or knowledge.
- c) Is accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting agency or association or, if not accredited, is an institution whose credits are accepted, on transfer, by not less than three institutions which are accredited.
- d) Does not discriminate in the admission of students on the basis of age, race, creed, color, sex, national origin, religion, or disability.
- Has a governing board which possesses its own sovereignty.
- f) Has a governing board, or delegated institutional officials, which possess final authority in all matters of local control, including educational policy, choice of personnel, determination of program, and financial management

Participating Colleges & Universities

The private colleges' and universities' goal is to provide a value-oriented educational experience to students who seek and adhere to similar values and goals. To these private colleges and universities, education is a process of growth from knowledge to wisdom. Independent colleges and universities play an important and unique role in the educational community and each individual local community. The communities these institutions serve reap many cultural as well as economic benefits. Following is a description of the bond issues which IHELA has floated to provide loan funds for the students, private colleges and universities in Iowa. These funds have been used to enable students to attend the educational institution of their choice and for the enhancement of the campus facilities of these institutions. This investment is keeping these institutions on the edge of the educational process, helping to make education in Iowa among the best in the nation.

Prior Years' Issues:

\$11,350,000 Variable Rate Educational Loan Revenue Bonds – August 30, 1984.

\$70,000,000 Variable Rate Facilities Revenue Bonds – December 17, 1985.

\$1,100,000 Student Loan Revenue Bonds – November 15, 1990.

\$750,000 Private College Energy Program Notes (Briar Cliff College Project) – April 1991.

\$7,675,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Drake University Project) – February 1992.

\$3,500,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Loras College Project) – April 1992.

\$2,000,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Coe College Project) – June 1992.

\$1,030,000 Private College Energy Program Notes (Upper Iowa University Project) – September 1992.

\$27,495,000 Fixed Rate Facilities Refunding Revenue Bonds – September 1992.

\$600,000 Private College Energy Program Notes (Palmer College of Chiropractic Project) – September 1993.

\$19,000 Private College Energy Program Notes (Mount St. Clare College Project) – September 1993.

\$5,850,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Graceland College Project) – December 1993.

\$500,000 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (Briar Cliff College Project) – February 1994.

\$1,840,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Drake University Project) – March 1993.

\$141,152 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (University of Dubuque Project) – October 1994.

\$1,150,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Coe College Project) – November 1994.

\$6,200,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (St. Ambrose University Project) – February 1995.

\$15,000,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (University of Osteopathic Medicine and Health Sciences Project) – May 1995.

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\$950,000 Private College Energy Program Notes (Drake University Project) – October 1995.

\$4,675,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (St. Ambrose University Project) – February 1996.

\$719,183 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (Briar Cliff College Project) – May 1996.

\$12,000,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Grinnell College Project) – July 1996.

\$882,653 Private College Energy Program Notes (William Penn College Project) – July 1996.

\$569,640 Private College Energy Program Notes (Iowa Wesleyan College Project) – November 1996.

\$8,915,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Loras College Project) – December 1996.

\$16,530,000 Fixed Rate Facilities Refunding Revenue Bonds – December 1996

\$2,575,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (St. Ambrose University Project) – February 1997.

\$400,000 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (Faith Baptist Bible College Project) – February 1997.

\$1,168,500 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (Wartburg College Project) – March 1997.

\$12,695,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Palmer Chiropractic College Project) – April 1997.

\$530,000 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (Coe College Project) – April 1997.

\$510,000 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (Waldorf College Project) – June 1997.

\$510,000 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (Grand View College Project) – July 1997.

\$744,900 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (Briar Cliff College Project) – July 1997.

\$10,445,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Luther College Project) – October 1997.

\$175,000 Private College Energy Program Notes (Mt. Mercy College Project) – April 1998.

\$4,030,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (American Institute of Business Project) – June 1998.

\$9,500,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program (Series A, B, C, and D) – July 1998.

\$408,000 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (Mt. Mercy College Project) – July 1998.

\$159,886 Private College Lease Revenue Notes (Clarke College Project) – July 1998.

\$20,320,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Central College Project) – August 1998.

\$4,500,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (Maharishi Univ. of Management Project) – March 1999.

\$11,725,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program (Series A, B, D, G, H and K) – May 1999.

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- \$5,495,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Mt. Mercy College Project) July 1999.
- \$12,000,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Waldorf College Project) September 1999.
- \$12,595,000 Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds (St. Ambrose University Project) October 1999.
- \$9,000,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Briar Cliff Project) November 1999.
- \$4,000,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Iowa Wesleyan College Project) March 2000.
- \$9,420,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Wartburg Theological Seminary Project) March 2000.
- \$16,615,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program (Series A, B, D, F, G, H, & I) May 2000.
- \$3,500,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program (Series C & J) June 2000.
- \$375,000 Private College Revenue Notes (Wartburg Theological Seminary Project) August 2000.
- \$7,500,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Grand View College Project) October 2000.
- \$1,500,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Maharishi University of Management Project) October 2000.
- \$20,450,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Loras College Project) November 2000.
- \$1,200,000 Private College Revenue Notes (University of Dubuque Project) February 2001.
- \$42,910,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Central College Project) May 2001.
- \$31,250,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program Series (Series A,B,C,D,E,F,H,I,J,K,L,M,N, & O) May 2001.
- \$2,380,000 Private Education Capital Projects Revenue Notes (Series G) May 2001.
- \$10,000,000 Variable Rate Demand Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Cornell College Project) November 2001.
- \$50,000,000 Private College Facility Variable Rate Demand Revenue Bonds (Grinnell College Project) December 2001.
- \$7,605,000 Variable Rate Demand Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Buena Vista University Project) December 2001.
- \$5,000,000 Variable Rate Demand Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Loras College Project) February 2002.
- \$30,880,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program Series (Series A, B, C, D, H, I, J, K, M, N, O) May 2002.

IOWA HIGHER EDUCATION LOAN AUTHORITY

Participating Colleges & Universities

\$3,595,000 Variable Rate Demand Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Mount Mercy College Project) – July 2002.

\$50,000,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Wartburg College Project) – July 2002.

\$15,000,000 Adjustable Rate Put Option Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Luther College Project) – September 2002.

\$9,600,000 Higher Education Facilities Revenue Bonds (Buena Vista University Project) – December 2002.

\$15,900,000 Private College Facility Variable Rate Revenue Bonds (Graceland University Project) – February 2003.

\$37,795,000 Variable Rate Demand Private College Facility Revenue and Refunding Bonds (St. Ambrose University Project) – April 2003.

\$1,000,000 Higher Education Facilities Revenue Bond (Buena Vista University Project) – May 2003 \$22,700,000 Variable Rate Demand Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Des Moines University Project) – July 2003.

\$31,800,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program Series (Series A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, & J) – May 2003.

\$6,015,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Waldorf College Project) – May 2004.

\$1,040,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Buena Vista University Project) – May 2004.

\$23,695,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program Notes (Series A, B, C, E, F, G, H, & I) – May 2004.

\$13,200,000 Variable Rate Demand Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (University of Dubuque Project) – May 2004

\$13,785,000 Private College Facility Revenue Refunding Bonds (Des Moines University Project) – June 2004.

\$2,250,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Buena Vista University Project) – June 2004.

\$12,140,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Simpson College Project) – February 2005.

\$6,715,000 Private College Facility Refunding and Revenue Bonds (William Penn University Project) – May, 2005.

\$4,785,000 Taxable Private College Facility Refunding Revenue Bonds (William Penn University Project) – May, 2005.

\$25,200,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program Notes (Series A, B, C, E, F, G, H & I) – May, 2005.

\$50,420,000 Private College Facility Revenue Refunding Bonds (Wartburg College Project) – December, 2005.

\$37,305,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Wartburg College Project) – December, 2005.

\$5,750,000 Private College Facility Revenue and Refunding Bonds (Iowa Wesleyan College Project) – May, 2006.

\$31,170,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program Notes (Series A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H & I) – May, 2006.

\$2,400,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Buena Vista University Project) – June, 2006.

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\$8,000,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (William Penn University Project) – September, 2006.

\$27,000,000 Private College Facility Revenue and Refunding Bonds (Grand View College Project) – September, 2006.

\$6,940,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Cornell College Project) – October, 2006.

\$22,035,000 Private College Facility Revenue and Refunding Bonds (Loras College Project) – October, 2006.

\$11,385,000 Private College Facility Refunding Revenue Bonds (Waldorf College Project) – January, 2007.

\$3,425,000 Taxable Private College Facility Refunding Revenue Bonds (Waldorf College Project) – January, 2007.

\$34,700,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (University of Dubuque Project) – April, 2007.

\$7,870,000 Private College Facility Revenue Bonds (Buena Vista University Project) – May, 2007.

\$30,710,000 Private Education Working Capital Loan Program Notes (Series A, B, C, D, E, F, G, & H) – May, 2007.

STUDENT LOAN PROGRAMS

\$11,350,000 Variable Rate Education Loan Revenue Bonds -- Series 1984

The Iowa Higher Education Loan Program began operation in 1984 with the sale of \$11,350,000 in tax-exempt bonds. This program offered loans to students enrolled at twelve of the private institutions in the State and was designed to supplement other types of financial aid.

The program distributed over \$1,000,000 in loans and was able to help 296 students who chose to attend an Iowa private college. The bonds of this issue were fully paid or redeemed on July 1, 1999.

Listed below are the Iowa independent colleges and universities that participated in the loan program and the total number of student loans made by institution.

Buena Vista College	52 Loans	\$ 146,019.27
Central College	21 Loans	\$ 83,475.96
Clarke College	30 Loans	\$ 107,739.03
Coe College	13 Loans	\$ 47,556.17
Drake University	21 Loans	\$ 85,406.41
Luther College	24 Loans	\$ 108,190.36
St. Ambrose University	18 Loans	\$ 77,165.77
Simpson College	70 Loans	\$ 218,459.91
University of Dubuque	17 Loans	\$ 71,711.22
Wartburg College	28 Loans	\$ 111,165.77
Westmar University	2 Loans	\$ 4,491.98

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Briar Cliff College

Briar Cliff College (II)

Buena Vista College

Buena Vista University

Central College (I)

Central College (II)

Clarke College

Coe College

Cornell College

Dordt College

Faith Baptist Bible College

Grand View College (I)

Grand View College (II)

Iowa Wesleyan College (I)

Iowa Wesleyan College (II)

Loras College (I)

Loras College (II)

Loras College (III)

Luther College

Maharishi University of Management

Maharishi University of Management

Marycrest International University

Morningside College (I)

Morningside College (II)

Mount St. Clare College

Palmer College of Chiropractic (I)

Palmer College of Chiropractic (II)

St. Ambrose University (I)

St. Ambrose University (II)

St. Ambrose University (III)

Simpson College (I), (II), (III), (IV), (V),

(VI), (VII), (VIII), (IX)

University of Dubuque (I)

University of Dubuque (II)

University of Dubuque (III)

Upper Iowa University (I)

Upper Iowa University (II)

Waldorf College (I)

Waldorf College (II)

Wartburg College (I)

Wartburg College (II)

Wartburg College (III)

Wartburg Theological Seminary (I)

Wartburg Theological Seminary (II)

Wartburg Theological Seminary (III)

Wartburg Theological Seminary (IV)

obtaining the financing needed for facilities' projects. This program offers facility loans to Iowa's independent colleges and universities for new construction, refinancing existing facility's debt, renovations, equipment purchase, energy conservation, acquisition of buildings, and reimbursement of facilities' expenditures incurred over the past three years. On June 30, 2007, \$120,037,066 in loan funds has been disbursed to the private institutions.

The \$70,000,000 in tax-exempt bonds allowed for a \$58,000,000 loan pool from which the institutions can borrow. A debt service reserve fund of \$10,500,000 was established; and \$1,500,000 (or 2% of the issue) was allocated to cover the cost of issuance.

The issuance costs have been recovered through program investments and making of loans. The earnings from the program's investments are now being credited to the participating institutions. The unique feature of the program's revolving funds, which build with the principal repayment of loans, allows facilities funds to be available for future needs.

The terms for repayment are based on the nature of the project being financed, with a maximum term of ten years. Loan repayments include principal and interest plus a program expense component that is paid monthly beginning one month after the institution receives its loan proceeds. The interest on the loans is based on the variable weekly bond rate set by JP Morgan, the program's remarketing agent. The effective loan rate for the twelve-month period ending June 30, 2007, averaged 4.50%. This rate included interest plus the expense component. The bonds mature in 2015.

Thirty-three independent Iowa colleges and universities are eligible to participate in the facilities loan program. Institutions must meet the requirements established by MBIA Insurance Corporation (MBIA), the program's insurer. Listed to the left are the institutions that have participated in the program.

The Iowa Higher Education Facilities Loan Program, which began operations in December 1985, with the sale of \$70,000,000 in tax-exempt bonds, has assisted twenty-five institutions in

FACILITIES LOAN PROGRAMS

SALLIE MAE PROGRAM

The IHELA Statewide Sallie Mae Program has been a valuable service to the colleges. Listed below are the institutions that have participated in the program and their loan amounts.

Drake University	February, 1992A	\$ 4,075,000
Drake University	February, 1992B	\$ 3,600,000
Loras College	April, 1992	\$ 3,500,000
Coe College	June, 1992	\$ 2,000,000
Graceland College	December, 1993	\$ 5,850,000
Drake University	March, 1994	\$ 1,840,000
Coe College	November, 1994	\$ 1,150,000

LEASE PURCHASE PROGRAM

The IHELA Lease Purchase Program is another financing option for the Iowa colleges. The Private College Lease Program was designed to help finance fungible assets, such as computers, software, telephone systems, fiber optics, or other assets with a short capital life. Listed below are the institutions that have participated in the program and their loan amounts.

Briar Cliff College	February, 1994	\$ 500,000
University of Dubuque	October, 1994	\$ 141,152
Briar Cliff College	May, 1995	\$ 719,183
Faith Baptist Bible College	February, 1997	\$400,000
Wartburg College	March, 1997	\$1,168,500
Coe College	April, 1997	\$530,000
Waldorf College	June, 1997	\$510,000
Grand View College	July, 1997	\$510,000
Briar Cliff College	July, 1997	\$744,900
Mt. Mercy College	July, 1998	\$408,000
Clarke College	July, 1998	\$159,886
Wartburg Theological Seminary	August, 2000	\$375,000
University of Dubuque	February, 2001	\$1,200,000
Grand View College	August, 2004	\$1,250,000

1.	Dordt College	
2.	Briar Cliff University	•
3.	Morningside College	- Sioux City
4.	Buena Vista University	- Storm Lake
5.	Waldorf College	- Forest City
6.	Wartburg College	- Waverly
7.	Upper Iowa University	- Fayette
8.	Luther College	- Decorah
9.	Clarke College	- Dubuque
10.	University of Dubuque	- Dubuque
11.	Loras College	- Dubuque
12.	Wartburg Theological Seminary	- Dubuque
13.	Coe College	- Cedar Rapids
14.	Mount Mercy College	- Cedar Rapids
15.	Palmer College of Chiropractic	- Davenport
	St. Ambrose University	
17.	Grinnell College	- Grinnell
18.	Central College	- Pella
19.	William Penn University	- Oskaloosa
20.	Maharishi University of Management	- Fairfield
21.	Iowa Wesleyan College	- Mt. Pleasant
22.	Graceland University	- Lamoni
23.	Simpson College	- Indianola
24.	Faith Baptist Bible College & Seminary	- Ankeny
25.	AIB College of Business	- Des Moines
26.	Drake University	- Des Moines
27.	Grand View College	- Des Moines
28.	Des Moines University of Osteopathic Medicine	- Des Moines
30.	Mercy College of Health Sciences	- Des Moines
31.	Allen College	- Waterloo
32.	Cornell College	- Mt. Vernon
33.	Northwestern College	- Orange City

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS WITH INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

June 30, 2007

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Members of the Authority
Iowa Higher Education Loan Authority

We have audited the accompanying statement of net assets of each major fund of Iowa Higher Education Loan Authority (the Authority), a component unit of the State of Iowa, as of June 30, 2007 and the related statements of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets, and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Authority's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of each major fund of the Authority as of June 30, 2007 and the respective revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The management's discussion and analysis on page 2 is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the Unites States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Authority's basic financial statements. The supplementary information included in schedules 1 through 4 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements nor is it intended to present the financial position and results of operations of the individual components of the funds. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Management Discussion & Analysis June 30, 2007

General Overview

Fiscal year 2007 was an active year for the Iowa Higher Education Loan Authority (IHELA). FY 2007 saw IHELA issue 16 separate bond financings totaling \$163,565,000. This level of business generated operating revenue totaling \$223,679 (\$35,608 or 19% more than FY 2006). IHELA continued it's investment in additional financing programs and support services during the fiscal year, including the credit assessment program with Moody's and Standard & Poor's rating agencies, the benchmarking service that provided an in-depth analysis of 30 key rations for participating institutions. Twenty institutions participated in the program and IHELA partnered with Virchow Krause & Co. to complete the project. IHELA covered 2/3 of the participation costs for each institution (\$16,765 total); therefore, overall operating expenses totaled \$185,494 (\$15,515 or 9% increase from FY 2006). The overall increase in operating expenses was a smaller percentage than the previous fiscal year.

Iowa's private colleges and universities continued to benefit from favorable interest rates in the bond market. Long-term tax-exempt rates were slightly up in FY 2007. Even with these slight increases facility needs maintained the demand for access to the tax-exempt bond market. Interest rates in the investment market have held steady or slightly increased with returns in FY 2007. Investments across all programs saw slightly higher returns when compared to previous years.

1985 Series

One new loan was issued in the '85 Series variable rate pool program during FY 2007. The pool experienced a slight increase in the return on investments over the course of the year. These returns were a product of the improved investment market coupled with the performance under the investment contract renegotiated in January 2002. The contract interest rate is equal to the Bond Market Trade Association (BMA) index plus 113.5 basis points and was 4.86% on June 30, 2007. The amount of bonds outstanding in the pool is currently \$32,000,000. Revenues for the '85 Series were \$1,538,952 with net assets of \$726,881 as of June 30, 2007.

1996 Series

Revenues for the '96 Series showed declines in FY 2007 and totaled \$30,487. This decline results from the expected decrease in loan revenues as the program reaches its final maturity on August 1, 2007. Net assets as of June 30, 2007 were \$100,700. The investment contracts entered into have interest rates that are fixed at 6.22% and 5.52%.

Statement of Net Assets June 30, 2007

	Series 1985	Series 1996	General	
Assets	Funds	Funds	Fund	Totals
Current assets:		_		
Cash and investments	\$ -	-	1,275,876	1,275,876
Accounts receivable	-	-	3,500	3,500
Assets held by trustee:				
Investments and cash	512,899	475,662	-	988,561
Current portion of facilities loans receivable	1,727,329	_	-	1,727,329
Accrued interest receivable	129,767	11,216	7,268	148,251
Prepaid insurance	91,500	2,079		93,579
Total current assets	2,461,495	488,957	1,286,644	4,237,096
Noncurrent assets:				
Capital assets less accumulated depreciation	-	-	1,011	1,011
Assets held by trustee:				
Investments	19,652,136	;	-	19,652,136
Facilities loans receivable	10,869,384	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>	10,869,384
Total noncurrent assets	30,521,520	<u> </u>	1,011	30,522,531
Total assets	\$ 32,983,015	488,957	1,287,655	34,759,627
Liabilities				
Current liabilitites:				
Accounts payable	\$ 21,910	348	3,553	25,811
Accrued interest payable	102,567	7,917	-	110,484
Unearned origination fees	31,382	-	-	31,382
Bonds payable, net		379,992		379,992
Total current liabilities	155,859	388,257	3,553	547,669
Noncurrent liabilities:				
Bonds payable, net	32,000,000	-	-	32,000,000
Unearned origination fees	100,275	<u> </u>	<u>-</u> _	100,275
Total noncurrent liabilities	32,100,275	-	_	32,100,275
Total liabilities	\$ 32,256,134		3,553	32,647,944
Net Assets				
Restricted net assets - per bond resolutions	\$ 726,881	100,700	-	827,581
Invested in capital assets	-	-	1,011	1,011
Unrestricted		<u> </u>	1,283,091	1,283,091
Total net assets	\$ 726,881	100,700	1,284,102	2,111,683

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets Year ended June 30, 2007

	Series 1985	Series 1985 Series 1996		
	Funds	Funds	Fund	Totals
Operating revenues:				
Interest income:				
Investments	\$ 643,462	30,487	57,637	731,586
Facilities loans	895,490	-	-	895,490
Other			166,042	166,042
Total operating revenues	1,538,952	30,487	223,679	1,793,118
Operating expenses:				
Interest	1,502,366	19,749	-	1,522,115
General and administrative		<u> </u>	185,494	185,494
Total operating expenses	1,502,366	19,749	185,494	1,707,609
Operating income	36,586	10,738	38,185	85,509
Transfers, net	(32,000)	(900)	32,900	-
Net assets at beginning of year	722,295	90,862	1,213,017	2,026,174
Net assets at end of year	\$ 726,881	100,700	1,284,102	2,111,683

Statement of Cash Flows Year ended June 30, 2007

	Series 1985	Series 1996	General	
	Funds	Funds	Fund	Totals
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Interest received on loans	\$ 867,118	-	-	867,118
Cash receipts for fees	-	-	166,042	166,042
Principal repayments on loans	12,424,672	-	-	12,424,672
Purchase of loans	(10,865,195)	-	-	(10,865,195)
Cash payments for operating expenses			(184,035)	(184,035)
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	2,426,595	<u> </u>	(17,993)	2,408,602
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities:				
Repayment of debt	(800,000)	(520,000)	-	(1,320,000)
Payment of interest on bonds	(1,489,825)	(38,951)	-	(1,528,776)
Interfund transfers	(32,000)	(900)	32,900	
Net cash provided (used) by noncapital				
financing activities	(2,321,825)	(559,851)	32,900	(2,848,776)
Cash flows from investing activities:				
Net change in investments	(746,743)	517,943	-	(228,800)
Interest received on investments	641,973	41,908	64,720	748,601
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities	(104,770)	559,851	64,720	519,801
Net increase in cash and investments	-	-	79,627	79,627
Cash and investments at beginning of year	-	-	1,196,249	1,196,249
Cash and investments at end of year	\$ -		1,275,876	1,275,876
Reconcilation of operating income to net				
cash provided (used) by operating activities:				
Operating income	\$ 36,586	10,738	38,185	85,509
Amortization	(36,038)	-	-	(36,038)
Depreciation	-	-	928	928
Decrease in accrued interest receivable	7,666	-	-	7,666
Increase in accounts payable	-	-	531	531
Interest income on investments	(643,462)	(30,487)	(57,637)	(731,586)
Interest expense on bonds	1,502,366	19,749	-	1,522,115
Principal repayments on loans	12,424,672	-	-	12,424,672
Purchases of loans	(10,865,195)		<u> </u>	(10,865,195)
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$ 2,426,595		(17,993)	2,408,602

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2007

1. ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Iowa Higher Education Loan Authority (the Authority) was created in 1982 under Chapter 261A of the Code of Iowa as a tax-exempt public instrumentality to promote, encourage, and further the investment of private capital in the provision of funds for financing of education loans for students attending participating private education institutions in the state of Iowa (the State). Chapter 261A was subsequently amended by the Iowa Legislature to enable the Authority to provide financing for the acquisition, construction, and renovation of educational facilities, structures, and equipment to private educational institutions in the State. The Authority is authorized to issue, and has issued, bonds to provide education and facilities loan financing. The Authority is also authorized to serve as a conduit issuer for facility bond financings. When utilized in this capacity, the Authority charges an issuance fee in connection with its role as issuer of the bonds.

The authority has no taxing authority, and bonds issued do not constitute a debt, liability, or obligation of the State or any political subdivision thereof. The Authority is a component unit of the State. The Authority's financial statements are included in the State's comprehensive annual financial report.

Fund Accounting – The Authority's accounts are organized primarily as restricted funds, which are sets of self-balancing accounts for the assets, liabilities, net assets, and revenues and expenditures of the Authority's education and facilities loan programs. The restricted funds account for the proceeds from the education and facilities loan revenue and refunding bonds, the debt service requirements of the bonds, the related education and facilities loans purchased, and each program's expenses.

The Authority has an unrestricted general fund which accounts for the general and administrative functions for the Authority.

Basis of Presentation – The financial statements have been prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual method of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows.

In accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement No. 20, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Proprietary Funds and Other Governmental Entities That Use Proprietary Fund Accounting, the Authority applies only Financial Accounting standards Board (FASB) Statements and Interpretations, Accounting Principles Board opinions, and Accounting Research Bulletins issued on or before November 30, 1989.

The Authority's management has presented the Series 1985 and 1996 funds individually as major funds within the Authority's financial statements to assist users of the Authority's financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)
June 30, 2007

1. ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Cash Accounts – At June 30, 2007 the carrying amount of the Authority's deposits with a financial institution was \$108,150, and the bank balance was \$116,105, which is covered by federal depository insurance or collateralized.

Education and Facilities Loans Receivable – Education and facilities loans receivable are recorded at the original loan amounts, reduced by principal payments. Origination fees are amortized over the life of the loans, using the interest method.

Bond Issuance Costs, Discounts, Premiums, and Expenses – Bond issuance costs, discounts, and premiums are deferred and amortized as an adjustment to interest expense over the life of each bond issue, using the bonds outstanding method. Additionally, interest expense includes trustee fees and fees for bond insurance.

Unearned Origination Fees – Unearned origination fees were \$131,657 at June 30, 2007 with a decrease during the year of \$36,038 due to amortization.

Transfers – Transfers between funds were primarily from the Series 1985 and Series 1996 funds to the general fund for general and administrative expenses.

2. CASH AND INVESTMENTS

A summary of the Authority's cash and investments is as follows (cost approximates fair value):

Cash account	\$ 108,150
Money market account	364,986
Certificates of deposit maturing through March 2008	 802,740
	\$ 1,275,876

The Authority's investment in the money market account is not rated.

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)
June 30, 2007

3. INVESTMENTS AND CASH HELD BY TRUSTEE

A summary of investments and cash held by trustee is as follows (cost approximates fair value):

 Goldman Sachs Financial Square Treasury Instrument

 Fund (Money Market Funds):
 \$ 512,899

 Series 1985
 \$ 512,899

 Series 1996
 18,948

 531,847

 Investment agreement - Series 1985 (a)
 19,652,136

 Investment agreements - Series 1996 (b)
 456,714

 20,108,850

\$ 20,640,697

At June 30, 2007, the Authority's deposits held by the Trustee were uninsured and uncollateralized. All of the investments were rated AAA.

- (a) The trustee, on the Authority's behalf, has entered into an investment agreement with a bank which will terminate on November 30, 2015. The interest rate is equal to the Bond Market Trade Association Index plus 113.5 basis points, adjusted weekly, and was 4.86% at June 30, 2007.
- (b) The trustee, on the Authority's behalf, has entered into two investment agreements with a bank which will terminate on August 1, 2004, with automatic annual extensions through July 30, 2007. The interest rates are fixed at 6.22% and 5.52% during the term of the agreements.

4. FACILITIES LOANS RECEIVABLE

Facilities loans receivable are loans made by the Authority to participating educational institutions. The loans have varying maturity dates, with principal payments due monthly based upon varying amortization periods of up to fifteen years. The interest rate on the loans made under the 1985 issue varies monthly based upon a calculation which is a function of the monthly interest expense on the facilities loan bonds plus the necessary expenses of the Authority to administer the facilities program. Excluding the effect of amortization of the origination fees, the interest rates for the year ended June 30, 2007 averaged approximately 4.50%.

The loans are secured by either a standby letter of credit facility with a qualifying financial institution or a mortgage from the participating educational institution.

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)
June 30, 2007

5. BONDS PAYABLE

Bonds payable are the direct and general obligations of the Authority, payable primarily from the principal and interest payments of facilities loans. The bonds are secured by the revenues and recoveries of principal and all amounts held in any account established under the bond indentures of trust. In addition, such accounts are restricted in accordance with the provisions of the applicable indentures of trust. A summary of bonds payable at June 30, 2007 follows:

Private college facilities revenue bonds, Series 1985(a)	\$ 32,000,000
Private college facilities refunding bonds, Series 1996(b)	380,000
Less unamortized bond issuance costs	(75)
Plus unamortized bond premium	67
	379,992
Total bonds payable	\$ 32,379,992

(a) The bonds are term bonds due December 1, 2015. The interest rate on the bonds may be set at a variable rate for various time periods or at a fixed rate as established by the rate-setting agent. In accordance with the indenture of trust, the interest rate cannot exceed 15%, except on bonds not remarketed. For the year ended June 30, 2007, the interest rate has varied on a weekly basis. The interest rate was 3.83% at June 30, 2007.

The Authority has an agreement with JPMorgan Chase Bank, which requires the bank to purchase any bonds not remarketed on any interest payment date. The term of the agreement extends to the earlier of December 3, 2008, the date the bonds are converted to a fixed rate, or the date the bonds and their related interest are paid in full.

The Authority has obtained insurance from an insurance association which guarantees the payment of principal and interest on the bonds and the payment of certain fees relating to the facilities program. The insurance policy expires on December 1, 2015.

The bonds are subject to mandatory redemption requirements. The mandatory redemption amounts will vary according to the amounts available in certain accounts held by the trustee. During the year ended June 30, 2007, \$800,000 of bonds were redeemed. In the event of conversion to a fixed interest rate, the Authority has the option to redeem bonds at prices ranging from 101.50% to 100.50% and, subsequently, at prices declining to par.

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued) June 30, 2007

5. BONDS PAYABLE (CONTINUED)

(b) The bonds are serial bonds due August 1, 1997 through August 1, 2007. Interest on the remaining serial bonds is 5.00% per annum.

The Authority has also obtained insurance from an insurance association which guarantees the payment of principal and interest on the bonds and the payment of certain fees relating to the facilities program. The insurance policy expires on August 1, 2007.

A summary of the bonds payable activity for the year ended June 30, 2007 follows:

			Repayments	
		Amortization	and	
	Beginning	of Cost of	Amortization	Ending
	Balance	Issuance	of Premium	Balance
1985 Series	\$ 32,800,000	-	800,000	32,000,000
1996 Series	899,885	1,007	520,900	379,992
Total bonds payable	33,699,885	1,007	1,320,900	32,379,992

A summary of bond interest expense follows:

Year ending	Series 1985	Series 1996
June 30	Funds	Funds
2008	\$ 1,225,600	1,583
2009	1,225,600	-
2010	1,225,600	-
2011	1,225,600	-
2012	1,225,600	-
2013	1,225,600	-
2014	1,225,600	-
2015	510,667	-

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued) June 30, 2007

6. CAPITAL ASSETS

A summary of capital assets activity for the year ended June 30, 2007 follows:

	eginning Balance	Additions	Deletions	Ending Balance
Capital assets, being depreciated Equipment Total	\$ 16,269 16,269		<u> </u>	16,269 16,269
Less accumulated depreciation	 14,330	928		15,258
Capital assets, net	\$ 1,939	(928)	<u> </u>	1,011

7. CONDUIT DEBT OBLIGATIONS

From time to time the Authority has issued bonds to provide property and equipment financing for private educational institutions. The Authority is not obligated in any manner for repayment of the bonds. Accordingly, the bonds are not reported as liabilities in the accompanying financial statements. As of June 30, 2007, the amount of such bonds outstanding aggregated approximately \$554,256,000.

Net Assets Information Higher Education Facilities Program Funds Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds, Series 1985 June 30, 2007

		Debt Service
	Revenue	Reserve
Assets	Account	Account
Current assets:		
Assets held by trustee:		
Investments and cash	\$ -	-
Current portion of facilities loans receivable	1,727,329	-
Accrued interest receivable	53,021	26,627
Prepaid insurance		
Total current assets	1,780,350	26,627
Noncurrent assets:		
Assets held by trustee:		
Investments	-	6,928,770
Facilities loans receivable	10,869,384	
Total noncurrent assets	10,869,384	6,928,770
Total assets	\$ 12,649,734	6,955,397
Liabilities		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ -	-
Accrued interest payable	-	-
Unearned origination fees	31,382	-
Total current liabilities	31,382	
Noncurrent liabilities:		
Bonds payable, net	32,000,000	_
Unearned origination fees	100,275	_
Total noncurrent liabilities		
Total Honcurrent Havinties	32,100,275	-
Total liabilities	\$ 32,131,657	
Net assets (deficit)	\$ (19,481,923)	6,955,397

See accompanying independent auditors' report.

Bond Fund Interest Account	Mandatory Redemption Account	Revolving Fund Quarterly Accounts	Administrative Expense Account	Total
258,257 - 838 - 259,095	62,137 - 223 - 62,360	116,514 - 48,871 - 165,385	75,991 - 187 91,500 167,678	512,899 1,727,329 129,767 91,500 2,461,495
259,095	62,360	12,723,366 	- - - - 167,678	19,652,136 10,869,384 30,521,520 32,983,015
102,567 102,567	- - - - -	- - - -	21,910 - - 21,910	21,910 102,567 31,382 155,859
	- - - -	- - -	- - - 21.010	32,000,000 100,275 32,100,275
102,567 156,528	62,360	12,888,751	<u>21,910</u> <u>145,768</u>	<u>32,256,134</u> <u>726,881</u>

Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets Information Higher Education Facilities Program Funds Private College Facilities Revenue Bonds, Series 1985 Year ended June 30, 2007

		Debt
		Service
	Revenue	Reserve
	Account	Account
Operating revenues:		
Interest income:		
Investments	\$ -	311,865
Facilities loans	895,490	
Total operating revenues	895,490	311,865
Operating expenses:		
Interest		<u> </u>
Operating income (loss)	895,490	311,865
Transfers, net:		
Transfer to purchase facilities loans	10,865,195	-
Transfer to general fund	-	-
Other	(12,491,790)	(312,382)
Total transfers, net	(1,626,595)	(312,382)
Net change in net assets	(731,105)	(517)
Net assets (deficit) at beginning of year	(18,750,818)	6,955,914
Net assets (deficit) at end of year	\$ (19,481,923)	6,955,397

Bond Fund	Mandatory	Revolving Fund	Administrative	
Interest	Redemption	Quarterly	Expense	
Account	Account	Accounts	Account	Total
35,483	2,773	289,782	3,559	643,462
<u> </u>	<u>-</u>		<u> </u>	895,490
35,483	2,773	289,782	3,559	1,538,952
1,181,554	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>	320,812	1,502,366
(1,146,071)	2,773	289,782	(317,253)	36,586
-	-	(10,865,195)	-	-
-	-	-	(32,000)	(32,000)
1,152,552	21,965	11,283,703	345,952	
1,152,552	21,965	418,508	313,952	(32,000)
6,481	24,738	708,290	(3,301)	4,586
150,047	37,622	12,180,461	149,069	722,295
130,047	31,022	12,100,701	177,007	122,273
156,528	62,360	12,888,751	145,768	726,881

Net Assets Information Higher Education Facilities Program Funds Private College Facilities Refunding Revenue Bonds, Series 1996 June 30, 2007

				Debt Service
]	Revenue	Earnings	Reserve
Assets		Account	Sub-Account	Account
Current assets:				
Assets held by trustee:				
Investments and cash	\$	197,495	6,832	271,334
Accrued interest receivable		4,256	24	6,936
Prepaid expenses		2,079		
Total current assets		203,830	6,856	278,270
Liabilities				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	-	-	-
Accrued interest payable		-	-	-
Bonds payable, net		379,992	-	-
Total current liabilities	_	379,992		
Net assets (deficit)	\$	(176,162)	6,856	278,270

Principal Account	Interest Account	Administrative Expense Account	Cost of Issuance Account	Total
- - - -	- - - -	1 - - 1	- - - -	475,662 11,216 2,079 488,957
- - - -	7,917 - 7,917	348	- - - -	348 7,917 379,992 388,257
<u>-</u>	(7,917)	(347)	<u> </u>	100,700

Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets Information Higher Education Facilities Program Funds Private College Facilities Refunding Revenue Bonds, Series 1996 Year ended June 30, 2007

			Debt Service
	Revenue	Earnings	Reserve
	Account	Sub-Account	Account
Operating revenues:			
Interest income on investments	\$ 13,330	280	16,877
Total operating revenues	13,330	280	16,877
Operating expenses:			
Interest			
Operating income (loss)	13,330	280	16,877
Transfers, net:			
Transfer to general fund	-	-	-
Other	(27,628)	6,439	(16,877)
Total transfers, net	(27,628)	6,439	(16,877)
Net change in net assets	(14,298)	6,719	-
Net assets (deficit) at beginning of year	(161,864)	137	278,270
Net assets (deficit) at end of year	\$ (176,162)	6,856	278,270

Principal Account	Interest Account	Administrative Expense Account	Cost of Issuance Account	Total
<u>-</u> _	_	-	_	30,487
-	-	-	-	30,487
	21,275	2,748	(4,274)	19,749
	(21,275)	(2,748)	4,274	10,738
		(900)		(900)
-	32,108	5,958	-	(200)
<u> </u>	32,108	5,058		(900)
-	10,833	2,310	4,274	9,838
	(18,750)	(2,657)	(4,274)	90,862
	(7,917)	(347)	<u> </u>	100,700